

A news item in yesterday's paper requested co-operation of the Hope public with Mullin-Kile company of Columbus, Ohio, in compiling names and addresses for the 1948 City Directory.

Concessions are now being organized, and if you aren't home when they call they will leave a card, which you are expected to fill in and mail to them. This is where co-operation of the public is specifically requested, and it should be given promptly.

It has been nine years since Hope has had a city directory. The 1939 book is still hanging around the city office—but hopelessly out of date regarding any considerable part of the population.

Therefore the business houses have generously underwritten the new book, for the convenience of everyone who deals with the public—and that includes all of us, whether engaged in newspaper, church or club work.

It used to be that people were cagey about getting their names and addresses included in any public listing. Census-takers and directory-compilers alike would find the door slammed on them by folks who imagined that such listings had a direct bearing on tax collections and other unpleasant matters. The census and the directory might be said to be considered an invasion of personal privacy, back in those days.

How times have changed! Today, compared with the inquisitions of the income tax and social security people, mere city directory workers are welcome guests for Mr. John Public.

Finally, an accurate and complete city directory is a real asset for any town—let us do our level best by the 1948 edition.

Let's Salute an Important Fellow—Your Newspaper Boy

By JAMES THRASHER

The American year is full of all sorts of "weeks" and "days." Their sponsors may ask their readers to contribute to their causes, or to contribute to them. They may request it to be kind to mothers-in-law or to drink more doughnuts. Some of these we go for, some we don't. But the newspaper boy is the idea of giving a pat on the back to the country's newspaper boys—including our own—on National Newspaper Boy Day.

As the link between a newspaper and its readers, these boys have a highly important job. However hard a staff may try to put out the very best newspaper it can, the effort doesn't mean a thing unless the readers get his paper. Our newspaper boys are the link between the paper and the reader. It's up to the carrier to see that he does.

So the newspaper boy has a real responsibility. It is not always easy to find a newspaper boy who is a good one. He is a young man, and his school hours are beset with temptation for any normal youngster. But even though the job may seem an awful chore at times, we don't recall any ex-newspaper boys who aren't successful in life today that his early introduction to responsibility was harmful.

The ranks of the successful must have a good portion of men who learned the elements of business, the obligation to give dependable performance for money earned, and the ability to meet the adult world on more or less of an even basis, in the days when they were delivering papers. We know that there are a good many such men in the newspaper business.

The youngsters who come walking or cycling down your street with a sack full of papers, more than just a kid with a paper, are a job. He plays a leading part in keeping the American people the best and most fully informed people in the world. The U. S. has about a half-million boys, and the newspaper industry realizes its dependence on the reliability and industry of these half-million boys. It appreciates the fine job they do. That is why it is proud to have a day to honor its youngest colleagues, and asking the public to join in.

So when your carrier boy comes around to collect for the week, why not give him a word of thanks? He is a young businessman, an indispensable member of an indispensable profession. And like most of the rest of us, he likes a word of praise now and then.

Receiver to Seek Automobiles in Stuttgart

Edwardsville, Ill., Oct. 12.—(AP)—A court-appointed receiver in bankruptcy proceedings against Robert L. Knetzer, Edwardsville automobile dealer, said he plans a trip to Stuttgart, Ark., late today or tomorrow in his search for assets of the dealer.

"Knetzer is supposed to have an interest in a duck shooting place at Stuttgart," said the federal receiver, William C. Dunham.

Dunham said he may take a trip to Wyoming later to investigate Knetzer's holdings in that state.

Knetzer and Arthur F. Kramer, Jerseyville automobile dealer, were free under \$25,000 bond each on charges of conspiracy to defraud and obtaining money by a confidence scheme in connection with their sales of nearly new cars.

They are accused of accepting thousands of dollars from persons who never received automobiles they made deposits on.

Knetzer conferred here today with Dunham and G. W. Horsely, attorney for creditors who filed the involuntary bankruptcy petition against him. "I still have no comment to make," Knetzer told newsmen.

Dunham said Knetzer provided him full cooperation with the receiver and attorney for creditors.

Patented Mug

Thomas E. Hughes, Birmingham, Pa., received the first patent on shaving mug on May 1, 1869.

Between then and 1944 a total of 94 patents have been granted in the United States for shaving mugs.

Arkansas: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday. Scattered frost in north portion tonight. A little warmer Wednesday.

Russia Puts on Big Front in America

French Ready for Possible Armed Revolt

By JOSEPH W. GRIGG

Paris, Oct. 12.—(UP)—The French government has organized a detailed plan to seize Paris within one hour in case of armed revolt, forestalling any rebel effort to take the capital, confidential reports said today.

A force of 100,000 loyal troops and police have been especially briefed and trained for this emergency by Jules Moch, hardboiled Socialist Minister of the Interior who has an equal dislike for Communists and DeGaulle.

These reports said the plan would be put into effect whether the threat to the French government came from the extreme left or the extreme right.

It was understood the plan has been revised since the Communist-led strikes last November and is fully prepared to meet the threat of the current Communist-led strike wave paced by a walkout of 350,000 coal miners.

French uprisings traditionally have started in Paris and the purpose of the plan is to get troops to strategic points before they can be seized by the rebels.

The troops would remain outside Paris during the pre-revolt crisis, as they did during last November's strikes, and would be ordered to enter the city from Versailles, St. Germain and other garrison towns within 30 minutes. Police would be held in readiness within the city.

Within the hour, according to these reports, they could secure such strategic points as the prefecture of police; Elysee Palace, home of the president; the Ministry of the Interior; and the city hall, radio headquarters, war ministry, main railroad stations and electric power plants.

With these nerve centers under control, the government believes it could swiftly crush any outbreak, particularly if the enemy was lightly armed.

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Lewis Willing to Unify Labor Front

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 12.—(UP)—John L. Lewis today offered to make a new try to unify the divided American labor movement.

He told the United Mine Workers convention that the union (AFL) "success in their worthy battle against the Taft-Hartley injunction 'aimed to destroy conditions that the International Typographical Union has built up'."

The convention was due to draw the broad outlines of a fourth round wage demands on the coal industry.

The policy is expected to set a pattern for most of organized labor looking to a shorter work week in 1949-50 contract negotiations. It may give some inkling how UMW president L. Lewis hopes to achieve a guaranteed job plan to forestall large scale unemployment and wage cutting in the industry.

Lewis told the convention that if the coal operators are unable to share the available work evenly among union members in 1949 the United Mine Workers can and will stabilize employment.

Apparently one step toward this end is a shorter work week. The convention yesterday unanimously adopted again a demand for a six-hour day and a five-day week. This is one of the objectives of the UMW constitution. The closest the industry has come to reaching the goal was the 35-hour week. The 1948 contract fixes the work week as five eight-hour days.

Lewis' specific demands probably will not be known until conference with the coal operators in June since the convention's policy is expected to be framed in general terms.

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GOVERNOR TO SPEAK

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 12.—(AP)—Supporters of State Rights Democrats in the Jackson area will pay \$25 a plate tonight for a dinner at which Governor Ben L. Lundy of Arkansas will speak.

The dinner is sponsored by the Hinds county campaign committee of the State's Rights Democrats to raise funds for the campaign.

Street Inspector

Jane Adams, mother of the famous child, once was the city inspector of streets and alleys in Chicago, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Court Upholds Conviction of Communist Chief

Washington, Oct. 12.—(UP)—The U. S. Court of Appeals today upheld the contempt of Congress conviction of Eugene Dennis, general secretary of the Communist party.

Dennis was convicted by a federal court jury in June, 1947, for failing to appear before the House Un-American Activities committee the previous April in answer to a subpoena.

He was sentenced to one year in jail and fined \$100 after he spurned an offer by the sentencing judge to appear before the committee and purge himself of contempt. Dennis has been free under \$10,000 bond pending the appeal.

Dennis whose real name is Francis Waldron, had sought to have an attorney named Lapidus go before the committee to purge him of contempt through a statement.

In its unanimous opinion, the appeals court said the statement was "an irresponsible harangue, for nearly all of its length scurrilous and scandalous, and for the most part completely irrelevant."

It variously described as "preposterous," "fantastic" and "scandalous" Dennis' contentions.

The court's opinion, written by Judge Bennett Champ Clark, said in part:

"They (the defense) contend that the conduct and processes of the Un-American Activities committee are all invalid because the committee is not in fact a committee of the House of Representatives in that it was not composed exclusively of members of Congress but included Congressman John E. Rankin of Mississippi, who, according to the opinion, is not a member of Congress at all."

The opinion noted that Dennis concedes Rankin was seated by the House of Representatives as a congressman "duly elected to represent Mississippi."

Followed to its logical conclusion, the court said, Dennis' argument "would invalidate all legislation participated in or voted upon by members of Congress from any state of those election laws appellant disapproves."

"We have not before us the question of the election laws of Mississippi and we express no opinion as to them for the election of Rankin to the House of Representatives is not a subject of this case."

Concurring in Clark's opinion were Judges E. Barrett Prettyman and Aubrey Proctor.

Poil Tax Receipts in Arkansas Hit New Record

Little Rock, Oct. 12.—(UP)—In complete reports to the state auditor's office indicated today that poll tax receipt sales for 1948 probably will top the record 458,000 sold last year.

The auditor's office reported that with 72 out of 75 counties already listed, this year's sales totaled 443,752. Only Carroll, Miller and Faulkner counties were unreported.

State Auditor J. Oscar Humphrey said that if the sales in these three counties approximate those of last year, the state's total will break all records. Receipts in the three counties last year amounted to 20,000.

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Congressman Breaks Off Wedding

Tulsa, Okla., Oct. 12.—(AP)—After four broken wedding dates in 48 hours the congressman and his bride-elect are going to back off and try to get married again—later.

Rep. Richard Fielding Farrow of Arizona and Meredith Howard, a one-time flapper girl, postponed their wedding "indefinitely" yesterday.

Their action came after a sequence of romantic mix-ups, only screen-writers deliberately plan.

Four times Richard and Meredith tried their best to say "I do," but each time the malicious and love-lorn couple was wrecked in the proceedings.

Here is love's record of frustration:

1. Wedding set in Knoxville, Tenn., for Saturday — but father wants Meredith home for ceremony here.

2. Wedding reset for Saturday night in Tulsa — but no wedding guests.

3. Re-reset for Sunday afternoon — but airplane flies with nation of honor's superduplex wedding hat.

4. Re-reset for Monday afternoon — but Meredith's identical twin Virginia, ill in Mexico City, asks to attend ceremony.

At this point the parties of the first part, feeling the strain, called the whole thing off for "a short while."

Meanwhile, now 39, appeared with Virginia in the Atlantic City beauty contest of 1927. Later she joined the Ziegfeld Follies, was married twice, and recently has been a socially prominent hostess in Washington.

She is the daughter of Samuel J. Howard, a Tulsa oil man. Harold, whose wife died in 1929, is 43.

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Hey, Ma, Wheel in the Bathroom



No home need be without a bathroom now. This mobile bathroom, with all the essential items wrapped up in one unit, was displayed in Turin, Italy, at the International Automobile Show. It has an all-steel shower, wash basin, bathtub and built-in toilet in one piece. The washboard is an added attraction. (Photo by NEA—Acme staff correspondent Albert Blasutti.)

Murder Trial Delayed to January Term

The case of Roy Lee Arnold, charged with first degree murder, was held under \$75,000 bond today on a charge of trying to kill Walter P. Reuther, president of the CIO-United Auto Workers.

Judge Bush then dismissed the jury until 9 a.m. tomorrow at which time the court will take up the term of Circuit Court this morning.

The trial was continued because a material witness in the case was not on hand to testify.

Recorder Judge Christopher E. Stein entered a plea of innocent for Bolton after the defendant stood mute on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

Judge Stein set Bolton's examination for Oct. 19 after defense counsel asked for as early a hearing as possible.

Conviction carries a maximum penalty of life imprisonment. Reuther was shot in his home April 20. No motive for the crime was established.

Prosecutor James N. McNally asked the court to set bond of \$100,000 saying that it had come to his attention that certain groups were "taking up money for Bolton."

He did not identify them. Bolton's attorney, Joseph W. Louisell, termed the figure "ridiculous" but added that it made no difference to the defendant because he could not raise even as much as \$1,000 bond.

Judge Stein ordered Bolton removed to the Wayne County Jail. Bolton is a former vice president of Ford Local 400 UAW-CIO in Highland Park, Mich. He had served for about nine months before being defeated for reelection in 1946.

UAW spokesmen said Bolton had never been regarded as an active foe of Reuther or union leaders.

Two unidentified individuals are named in the warrant with Bolton. Prosecutor McNally told the court he was not yet ready to produce them or make public their names.

Reuther was shot down in the kitchen of his home the night of April 20 shortly after returning from an evening UAW-CIO executive board meeting. His right arm was severely blown off by the shotgun blast.

New Pastor for Garrett Baptist Church

The Rev. D. O. Silvey, pastor of Garrett Memorial Baptist Church here, will be the guest speaker at the church's 80th anniversary celebration on Sunday, Oct. 18.

He will be joined by his family today to make their home in Texarkana. The Rev. Silvey will be pastor of Central Baptist church of that city.

The local church issued a call to the Rev. Albert O'Steen who will take over duties this week. The Rev. O'Steen, widely known in this section, formerly was pastor of the Rossiter church.

Vet Representative to Be in Hope Friday, Oct. 15

Donald T. Stearns, Veterans Administration Contact Representative, will be in the county court house, third floor, Hope, Arkansas, Friday, October 15, at 10 a.m.

Whitfield Lodge to Hold Feed Tonight at 7

Whitfield Lodge No. 23, will hold a feed tonight at 7 o'clock in a meeting at the hall of the lodge, 1000 Main street, in Hope. A program will be served. All members are urged to attend.

Russia Again Calls for Arms Reduction

By LOUIS NEVIN

Paris, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Soviet Russia, in a move to stiffen American attitude, offered today to "put our cards on the table" in the East-West dispute over arms reduction proposals.

U. S. Delegate Warren R. Austin accused Russia in the United Nations Security Council of "looking for a way to solve the Berlin crisis. He said the Soviet battle cry in the world today is 'wreck and destroy'."

Soviet Delegate Andrei Y. Vishinsky made the card-on-the-table offer in a reply largely considered a bluff.

He would provide full information on her arms and armed forces if the United Nations adopted the Soviet proposal for an immediate one-third cut in Big Five armaments.

The firming of the American position centered mainly on the Berlin blockade, but it spread over the many other fundamental differences between Russia and the West. This developed with the return of Secretary of State Marshall by plane from Washington, where he conferred with President Truman.

Britain and France joined the United States in a move to speed up security council action on the Berlin case.

The three big Western powers, despaired of mediation efforts by the so-called "Little Six" on the United Nations Security Council are drafting a resolution for firm action to lift the Berlin blockade, Western sources said.

Marshall did not appear at the U. N. assembly headquarters immediately on his arrival in Paris, but he took over again as behind-the-scenes director of American policy in the Berlin dispute.

U. S. Delegate Warren R. Austin, meanwhile, told the U. N. assembly's political committee that "wreck and destroy" has become the Soviet battle cry in the world today. He cited a number of quotations which he said indicated the Soviet Union is guilty of duplicity.

Western sources said the "Little Six" attempts to patch up the East-West differences over Berlin remained fruitless after almost a week of go-between work.

There was still no reply from the Kremlin to questions put by the Soviet Union, said Andrei Y. Vishinsky, spokesman for the "Little Six" and president pro tempore of the council.

These informants said Britain, France and the United States would prefer that a resolution on the Berlin blockade be adopted by the council.

But if nothing turns up in the next 24 hours, they are ready to take the initiative themselves.

The Western powers, according to the informants, remain pretty certain that the Soviet Union, under Andrei Y. Vishinsky will veto any positive security council resolution.

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Racial Issue Brought Up by Russians

Paris, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Russia accused the United States, Britain and South Africa today of practicing "a shameful, dirty and unfair racial discrimination."

A black bearded Soviet delegate said that the Soviet Union, in a debate of a draft declaration of charge during social committee debate of a draft declaration of human rights.

He also accused Cuba of seeking to "bring about a new world order" by pledging "equal protection of the law against any discrimination."

He said a Cuban amendment would open the door to discrimination against the colored races.

Paykov spoke on "Terrorizing of Negroes" in the South of the United States. He alleged oppression of Indian minorities in South Africa and "discrimination against natives" in British colonial territories.

He said women "suffer serious political handicaps" in the United States and Britain. He compared the number of women in parliament of the two countries with Russia, which he said has more female parliamentarians than all other nations combined.

Paykov cited laws in the state of Georgia which he said "subordinate the legal status of a married woman to her husband."

He quoted President Truman as saying recently that Negroes suffer "hunger, humiliation and physical ill treatment by mobs."

The Cuban amendment, on which no action was taken immediately, was offered to replace article two of the proposed declaration with the following:

"All are equal before the law and are entitled to the rights laid down in this declaration without distinction of race, birth, sex, language, religion, political opinion or property or other status."

Article two as drafted by an international human rights commission headed by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt states:

"Everyone is entitled to all the rights and freedoms set forth in this declaration without distinction of any kind, such as race, color, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, property, birth or other status."

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Expect Reds to Continue Berlin Blockade

Washington, Oct. 12.—(UP)—The State department has been advised that it appears certain Russia will try to continue the blockade of Berlin through the winter, authoritative quarters disclosed today.

American agents in Europe have reported that there are strong indications that Moscow still thinks America's announced intention of continuing the air lift indefinitely is a gigantic bluff.

On the basis of these reports, officials here believe the American and British air forces will have to continue the tremendous task of supplying Berlin until February or March.

The officials expect Western power diplomatic victory if, and when the United Nations Security Council reaches a decision of the issue of whether the blockade is a violation of the UN charter.

One of Washington's top experts on the Berlin issue described the situation this way:

"It appears the Russians will stand pat until one of two things happens — either until they become convinced that the airlift can be maintained through the winter regardless of wretched flying conditions, or until our counter blockade begins to hurt them seriously."

He said there was evidence that the banning of shipments of industrial material and coal from the Western zones to the Russian occupied area of Germany was "being felt." But he conceded it might be a long time before the would force the Russians to end the Berlin blockade.

He said Russia's apparent decision that the airlift was a "bluff" was "not surprising," inasmuch as some Western diplomats had also felt that the advent of winter would close the air lanes to Berlin.

This diplomat, who recently completed a high-level European mission, said the success of the airlift to date had substantially eased war fears among officials of Western European nations.

"They seemed tremendously impressed by the fact that the lift has gone this far without incident. They now believe that we can continue to supply Berlin, thus spring the immediate danger of war will have been averted," he said.

National B&PW Week Observed Here

Hope Business and Professional Women's Club will join this week with the 2,200 other clubs throughout the nation in observing National Business Women's Week.

Activities of the week have been arranged by the President, Miss Norma Lewis together with the various committees. Theme of National Business Women's Week is "Use Your Vote in '48'."

Every woman is urged to accept full citizenship responsibility and vote. It is also urged that every individual will inform herself as to the qualifications of the candidates for office and the contents of the initiated acts and constitutional amendments to be voted upon in the elections.

This is the twenty-first observance of National Business Women's Week by the 140,000 members throughout the country. It is the aim of the B. & P. W. Club to place better qualified men and women in governmental posts of responsibility and to encourage workers to accept the dignity and importance of work as incentive to efficiency and greater production, and to work toward a stable, healthy world economy.

Hope town will display posters during the week. On Thursday evening at seven o'clock, the Hope B. & P. W. Club will entertain with an Employer and Employee Dinner at the Elbow Hotel and on Sunday afternoon, an open house for the employed women of the city will be held at the home of Miss Charles Cannon.

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GUSTAF ILL

Stockholm, Oct. 12.—(AP)—King Gustaf V of Sweden is ill with a disease resembling influenza, his physicians said today.

The king, 80, is being treated with penicillin, said a communications officer at the palace. Two specialists were called in for consultation.

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AUSTRIANS RETURN

Vienna, Austria Oct. 12.—(AP)—Nearly 1,500 Austrian prisoners of war, many captured by the Russians at Stalingrad, returned home by repatriation train today.

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GI Credited With Breaking Blockade

Berlin, Oct. 12 —(UP)—A U. S. Army sergeant, using soft soap and phony passes on Russian troops, temporarily lifted the Soviet blockade of Berlin last week. It was disclosed today.

Sgt. Ralph Felling, 26-year-old combat veteran of McCook, Neb., drove his automobile over the main highway from Frankfurt to the former German capital.

"I just wanted my automobile up here in Berlin," he explained. "It wasn't doing me any good down in Frankfurt."

Felling appeared unimpressed by the fact he had done what Western diplomats had been unable to do.

Twenty-five feasting Russians permitted Felling to cash in on a 1,000-to-1 chance when he showed them his "special credentials"—a U. S. Army pass and a U. S. Army pass authorizing him to be absent from his billet.

He had been unable to get a Russian permit for the trip.

Felling drove his automobile over the blockaded Berlin highway.

He "softened up" the Russians at the Soviet-British zone border Thursday night when he visited them to exchange "small talk" and display pictures of his wife, Mary Elizabeth Felling of San Antonio, Texas.

Felling said he found the Russians in a receptive mood and the check point guardhouses were "scene out of a Hollywood movie."

A girl in a Soviet uniform sat on the lap of the soldier in charge throughout his stay, Felling said. Empty vodka and German cognac bottles littered the floor.

"I really wished I had a camera when they hauled in a freshly-killed deer covered with blood," the sergeant said. "They butchered it right there and began to cook and eat it."

The Russians examined Felling's credentials and informed him he could not proceed until the following morning because the Elbe river ferry had been closed for the night.

As he chatted with Russian non-commissioned officers in English and halting German, other Russians examined with great interest the radio, heater, cigarette lighter and dashboard of his new automobile.

They seemed astonished that an ordinary G. I. could own an automobile like that," Felling said.

The sergeant said that when he returned to the Soviet barrier the next morning he was waved on to Berlin "by my old friends of the night before."

Felling said he encountered no difficulty until he reached Soviet checkpoint just outside of Berlin.

There he showed two armed Russians the same "credentials" he had produced earlier. But they looked dubious.

The barrier was up and I knew if they ever put it down it would stay down," Felling said. "So I just waved to them. Told them I was back in Berlin and drove on. They did not stop."

Felling said that a week earlier he had been turned back three times by Russian sentries when he attempted to run the blockade via side roads.

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that all my things have been destroyed in the war. I would be able to acquire a wardrobe abroad. It would have been equally fatal to display any anxiety to leave the country.

Full a week passed before I was called again to the Foreign Commissariat. It appeared that my three questionnaires were satisfactory, but more copies were needed. That indicated that my application was moving forward, but that at the same time a further check was to be made. I was given another stack of questionnaires to fill out. With the aid of the notes I had made, I acquitted myself of the task.

Then followed weeks of investigation by the NKVD. Agents came to examine me and ask me questions about my sisters. Teachers in the district told me that they had been interviewed about me. I would get mysterious telephone calls. Once I found a message to call the NKVD to a certain local teacher who had been purged as a counter-revolutionary. I knew that if I did not answer the call, it would be interpreted as an admission of my having known him. Boldly I telephoned the NKVD headquarters and informed that I had not been in the district long and had never known the man.

Time dragged on. The winter was drawing to a close. I got orders to report to the forbidding premises of the Central Committee of the Communist party, the nerve-center of the Soviet dictatorship which inspires awe in nearly all Russian hearts.

The interior of this impressive edifice is heavily draped, and I was waiting there that there many ears lurked behind the heavy drapes. I was inspected at every step here. Finally I was ushered into the presence of Alexander himself, then Stalin's chief aide in the field of education, whose position was more powerful than that of the Commissar of Education himself. Alexander, the author of a famous Communist handbook on pedagogy, has since been removed for heresy. He was a cultured man and in the course of the interview asked me if I knew English.

It was clear that I was slated for America. He also inquired if I was acquainted with foreign schools, and then casually dropped the question as he looked at my papers.

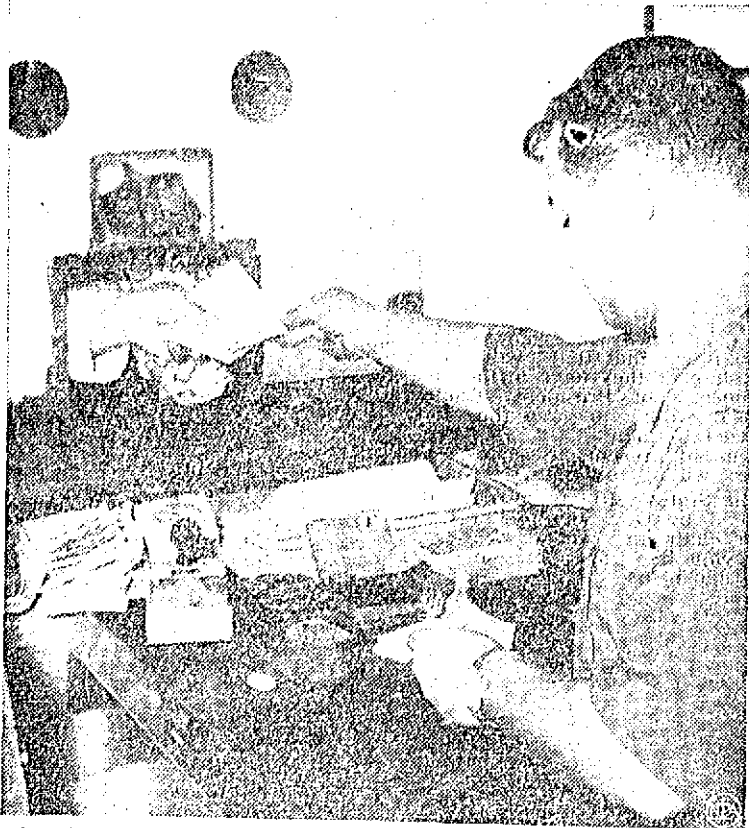
"Your husband died, eh? Died in 1927, is that so?"

I was scared. In the back of my mind the thought flashed, "Oh, they know the truth? It's the Lubliner NKVD prison—for me!"

But I looked him straight in the eye and answered, "Yes, he's dead."

Twice more I was called to the Central Committee for further scrutiny by two other top officials. One of these was a hard-bitten and experienced examiner. He gave me a lecture on how I should study the political situation, look into the causes of unemployment and explore the diseases of capitalism.

New Bills for Old in Israel



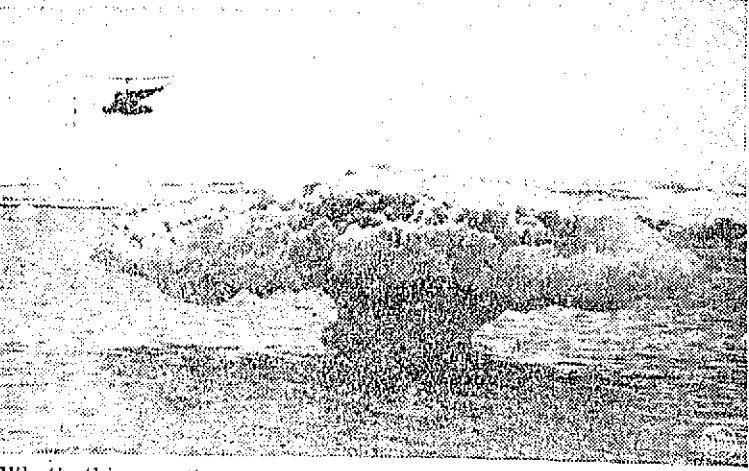
An old Jewish woman looks on as a young Israeli girl gathers in her new Israeli currency after exchanging her earnings for new notes. The scene is the Anglo-Palestine Bank in Jerusalem where hundreds lined up to exchange old Palestine pounds for the new Jewish money.

'Take Yer Hands Off Me, Ya Bum'



Irvin, the baby gorilla, obviously doesn't like captivity. Brought by plane from Africa's French Cameroons, Irvin is held by R. Martin Perkins, director of Chicago's Lincoln Park Zoo. The youngster was named for zoo patron Irvin Young.

Weapon for 'Cold War'?



What's this—another atomic bomb explosion? Nope—it's just an iceberg whose odd shape is reminiscent of the Bikini B-bomb tests. It was photographed off Dealy Island, in the Arctic, by a member of a Canadian-U. S. expedition bringing supplies to outlying weather stations. One of the group's helicopters is seen coming in for a landing.

'Miss Italy' Makes Her Bow



Fulvia Franco, 18 (left), is Miss Italy of 1948. The Italian beauty hailed from Trieste. Presenting her with her ribbon is Miss Italy of 1947, Lucia Bore. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Albert Blasetti.)

Then came more visits to the famous blue summer school unit-Foreign Committee and this time I was asked to fill out questionnaires and take pictures, a part of shoes, a coat, and pictures for a passport. And all a trunk. When all these things were packed, I was delivered to my little abode in the Leningrad release, to the outskirts of Moscow, the city of the Red and the White.

My arrival in Leningrad was a very interesting experience. I was met by a Soviet official and taken to a small apartment. I was told that I was to stay there for a while. I was also told that I was to be interviewed by a Soviet official.

As I was leaving for the station to take the train to the Black Sea, I was told that I was to be interviewed by a Soviet official.

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Railroads Ask Increase in Freight Rates

Washington, Oct. 12 —(AP)—The railroad industry today asked authority to increase freight charges 13 per cent, and estimated the increase would bring in \$1,000,000,000 a year.

The carriers filed an amended petition with the Interstate Commerce Commission asking for the 13 per cent increase. The new application supplants an October 1 petition for an eight per cent rate increase.

Vice President Jacob Aronson, of the New York Central system, said the addition five per cent advance now being asked is necessary because of the ten cents an hour wage increase granted railway conductors and trainmen, effective October 16.

Aronson said the wage increase sets a pattern for the whole industry and if applied to all rail workers will cost the railroads \$371,000,000 a year in wages and payroll taxes.

The new petition asked that the ICC grant an eight per cent increase immediately while the commission is considering the proposed 13 per cent advance as a permanent part of the rate structure.

Russia Again

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which suggests either that Russia is in the wrong or that a blockade in fact exists around Berlin.

A British spokesman told reporters today the Western powers feel that the course they are following in the end will make Russia "reorientate her policies" in Germany.

He said the Western power's offensive in the security council has kept Vishinsky fairly subdued. Russia, he explained, has been put on the defensive.

Austin asserted it is "a misconception to suppose that differing systems cannot live side by side in peace under the basic rules of international conduct prescribed by the charter of the United Nations."

But he said, the United Nations must teach that it is possible and what is impossible in the relationship between the Soviet Union and the world at large.

A Russian proposal for a one-third arms reduction and junking of atomic weapons was under consideration.

Vishinsky complained bitterly in reply to Austin that, in the Western view, "whatever we do is wrong."

Every sentence of the Western speeches, the Russian said, "shows us blame on us." The Soviet representatives attack nobody, he said.

Can you deny that the Soviet proposal contains no iota of a shadow of a hint of an attack on anybody?" he asked.

Speaking in a much calmer tone than in previous days, the Soviet deputy foreign minister declared:

"You are accusing the Soviet delegation of provocation, no less. Is that thinkable? It would be ludicrous if it was not so."

He said Austin had interpreted his quotations from Soviet leaders "in a distorted manner."

"I don't like these theoretical discussions on Marxism and Leninism," he said.

Then Vishinsky said he was willing to discuss Marxism and Leninism if Austin wished.

"Okay," he said, "let's argue. Let's have a big dispute on these questions."

He said the quotations had been twisted—by lifting them out of context—to mean exactly the opposite of what they said.

He said that the capitalist and Communist ideologies could live side by side in the same world "if both sides try to understand the other side."

"Hence our desire to cooperate," he said.

"We want to cooperate. We are yearning for cooperation."

Vishinsky added, however, that cooperation was impossible as long as one side "is bolstered by the atomic bomb."

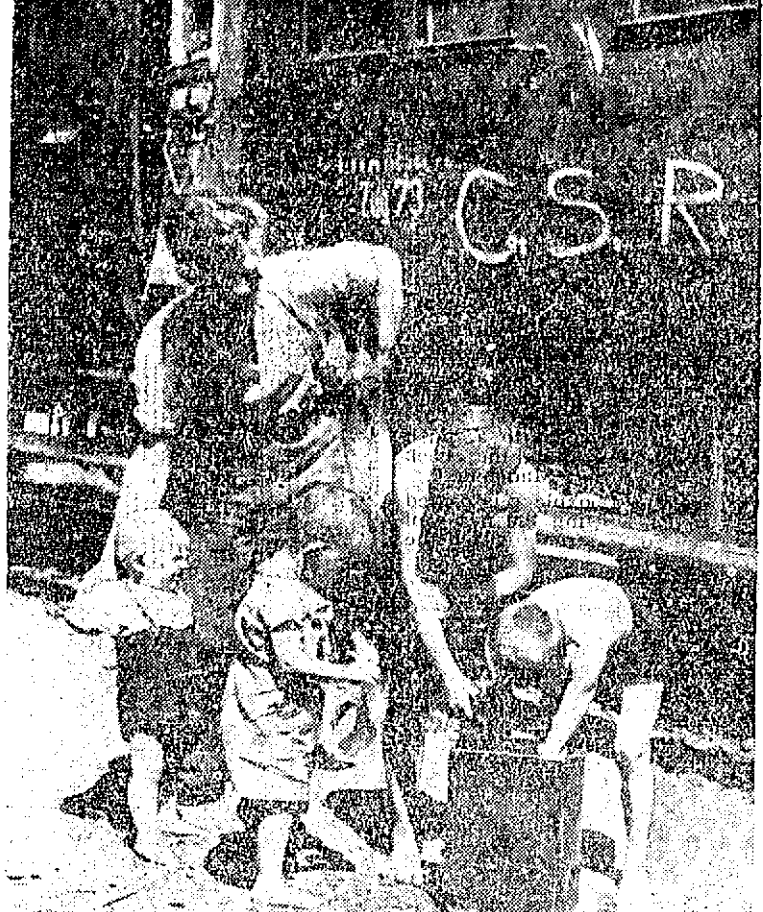
He did not repeat his hints of Oct. 1 that the Soviet Union already has the atom bomb.

The Russian showed some heat when he commented on an Austin statement that the Soviet Union in 1939 had been a "working partner with the off-denounced Nazis."

"While we were talking with the Germans, behind our back, you were trying 'to sign a pact with the Germans' to channel Hitlerite aggression against the Soviet Union," he charged.

This, he said, was the "role of your Chamberlains and Daladier." The United States, he charged, made Hitlerite aggression "possible by pouring millions and millions of dollars into Germany."

Hope Downs for Czechs Fleeing Reds



Having found sanctuary in the U. S. Zone of Germany after fleeing from Czechoslovakia when the Communists seized power, 1600 Czech refugees recently arrived in Rome. Cared for in International Refugee Organization camps in Italy, they will await resettlement in Canada or the U. S. Above, during the Rome stopover, a Czech father urges his children to wash up. Yodanis at left takes a dim view of the idea.

Market Report

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCKS

National Stockyards, Ill., Oct. 12 —(AP)—Hogs, 7,000; market steady to mostly 25 lower than Monday; good and choice 190-200 lbs large hogs by one price of 26.50; moderate springling 26.50; some late sales down to 26.00; heavies very scarce; 160-180 lbs mostly 25.50-26.00; 180-190 lbs 23.00-25.00; 10-12 lbs 20.00-22.00; sows 40 lbs down largely 22.75-24.50; over 40 lbs 20.00-21.75.

Cattle, 5,000; calves, 2,000; common and medium steers opened steady some strength on low good steers sold; cows strong to 50 higher; bulls and vealers steady; load average good steers 19.50-27.00; odd lots common and medium heifers 18.50-25.00; common and medium beef cows 17.00-19.00; most canners and cutters 12.50-16.50; few cutters to 17.00; medium and good bulls 13.50-21.00; cutter and common 10.00-13.00; good to choice vealers 20.00-34.50; common and medium 18.00-27.00.

Sheep, 3,500; opening sales fat lambs mostly steady; top 25.00 to outsiders; other good and choice lambs early mostly 24.00-50 to big packers run included several hundred yearlings; one deck mostly medium yearlings 19.00 some held above 22.00.

POULTRY AND PRODUCE

Chicago, Oct. 12 —(AP)—Live poultry: unsettled; receipts 41 trucks; prices unchanged to a cent; pound lower except heavy ducks a cent higher; POB; folw 31, leghorn low 29; roasters 29-34 POB; whole sale market; Heavy ducks 35 all others unchanged.

Fearful Death Sentence, Back in Prison

Little Rock, Oct. 12 —(AP)—A Negro who escaped death in the electric chair through Arkansas Supreme Court action has been ordered back to the state prison farm.

State Parole Director W. P. Ball yesterday ordered Clayton Porchia, 31, of Camden, to serve the remainder of his prison term after he refused to cooperate with his employer.

Porchia was given the death sentence in Ouachita County on June 2, 1938, for the murder of Dale McClurkin of Camden. The state Supreme Court reduced his sentence to 21 years and he was paroled March 5, 1945.

Court Rules Forever Amber Not Obscene

Boston, Oct. 12 —(AP)—Kathleen Windsor's novel "Forever Amber" is not obscene, indecent or impure, according to a majority but divided opinion of the Massachusetts Supreme Court.

In upholding a ruling of Superior Court Judge Frank J. Donahue, the supreme court found the book did not violate state laws.

Judge Donahue, 67, reported he fell asleep while reading about Amber's love affairs. He called the book "Spartan" and reported "sexual episodes abound to the point of tedium."

members of the security council creates a threat to peace by imposing a land blockade of Berlin."

Can there be confidence and security when one of them refuse to participate in the effort of the security council to remove this threat to world peace?

Can there be confidence and security when one of them frustrates the efforts of all the other occupying powers for a pacific settlement of the dispute?

Austin asked "Why has Mr. Vishinsky presented his proposal for disarmament to the U. N. general assembly?" "Could it not be for propaganda effect?"

Secretary of the State Marshall returned to Paris from talks with President Truman on the Berlin crisis. Marshall, who was accompanied by ECA Administrator Paul Hoffman and W. Bedell Smith, U. S. ambassador to Moscow, went immediately to the American Embassy residence.

Arkansas Fugitive Held by Officers in Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Oct. 12 —(UP)—A husky 19-year-old Texan was in jail in default of \$25,000 bail today as a fugitive from the Arkansas state prison.

Alva D. Rodgers, El Dorado, Tex., was seized Oct. 1 in a bus terminal by detectives, who said he checked a revolver in a locker.

Magistrate Thomas E. Costello set an additional \$5,000 bail for alleged violation of the firearm act, and another \$5,000 on a charge of transporting stolen property into Pennsylvania.

Body of Young Minister's Wife Found in River

Little Rock, Oct. 12 —(UP)—The body of a minister's young wife, was recovered from the Arkansas river here today.

Griffin Leggett, funeral home said the Rev. H. T. Hubbard of Mabelvale, near Little Rock, identified the body as that of his wife, Emma Lee, 24.

The body was recovered shortly before noon with grappling hooks near the point where witnesses told police they saw a young woman swimming yesterday.

Later yesterday Mr. Hubbard told officers he feared the swimmer was his wife. He said she had been ill and had attempted to jump from the Broadway bridge over the river Sunday night. Yesterday morning, he said, she disappeared after leaving him on the pretext of making telephone call.

Carnivals Flooding East Arkansas Are Big Headaches

Little Rock, Oct. 12 —(UP)—Carnivals and "fly-by-night" shows are flooding Eastern Arkansas and creating a headache for the state revenue department.

Revenue Commissioner Otto Cook said today that the small shows are moving into the state in large numbers because of loose money caused by a record cotton crop.

He said that his county inspectors are kept busy attempting to collect sales, amusement and admission taxes.

The shows are required to obtain a permit from the state tax division of the revenue department.

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Dallas

Show Window of the Southwest

Ickes to Back Truman for President

Washington, Oct. 12 —(AP)—Harold I. Ickes is backing President Truman in next month's election.

The 74-year old New Dealer who broke with Mr. Truman in February, 1946, after 13 years' service as secretary of the Interior, rejoined the Democratic ranks yesterday.

Although he said he "would welcome an opportunity to vote for someone else," Ickes gave conservation of the nation's natural resources as the deciding factor in his choice of presidential candidates.

"As between Thomas Dewey, Dewey, the candidate in sneak-ers," Ickes said in a statement, "I prefer to support Mr. Truman, who is straightforward and sincere, if at times more unpredictable than I would wish."

Ickes, once a leading member of the old Progressive party, said the new Progressive party candidate, Henry Wallace "in his Communist story, is impossible."

As for supporting Norman Thomas, the Socialist standard bearer, Ickes said that "would be wasting a vote."

The former cabinet member registered last year as a "non-partisan" at his home in nearby Olney, Md. His statement yesterday followed by a week his first White House visit in two and one-half years.

but Cook said many of the small outfits attempted to evade the payment of any taxes.

"While they are expected to report once every 30 days," the commissioner said, "our policy is to collect every day."

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CORRECTION

The items advertised in Logan Bailey's Ad in Monday's Hope Star were wrong. These are the items for sale.

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Tuesday, October 12
The Winsome Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church will hold its regular monthly business and social meeting at the church at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening, October 12.

The J.O.Y. Class of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday night, October 12, at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Luther Higgins, 419 South Hervey Street with Mrs. Joyce Smith and Mrs. R. V. Hemmick, Jr. as hosts. There will be an installation of officers and all members are urged to be present.

Tuesday, October 12
The Alabamian Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Shiver, Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

Wednesday, October 13
The A.A.R. will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Haynes for a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, October 13.

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The Paisley P.T.A. will meet in the school auditorium on Wednesday, October 13 at 2:30 p.m. The members of the Executive Board will meet at 3 o'clock.

The Brownie Scout Troop No. 1 with Mrs. Hinton Davis, leader will meet in the basement of the Methodist church.

Thursday, October 14
The Ladies Monthly Bridge will be held Thursday, October 14, at the Country Club at 10 a.m. A Pot Luck luncheon will be served and hostesses are Mrs. C. C. McNeill and Mrs. C. C. Lewis.

The B & PW Club will hold "Boss Night" at the Barlow Hotel, Thursday, October 14 at 7 o'clock. All members are urged to bring their employer. A clever program has been arranged in observance of National Business Women's Week.

Mrs. E. S. Alexander has been elected president of the Altar Society Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. S. Alexander. Previous to the business meeting, Mrs. Gehling, president introduced two guests, Mrs. Ben Haynes of Washington, D. C. and Miss Sue O'Dwyer of Texarkana. Plans were made for a rummage sale to be held a week from Saturday, Oct. 24. Members were asked to meet at the Rectory Thursday, Oct. 21, for "Pot-Luck" and prepare for the rummage sale. The hostess served a delightful refreshment plate emphasizing the Halloween motif and colors.

Mrs. J. W. Butler reviews Mission Book at Presbyterian Auxiliary Meeting. The Women of the First Presbyterian church met Monday morning at 10 o'clock for a home mission program. The meeting was opened with the worship service and special offering for the Home Missions. Mrs. J. W. Butler of New Orleans, La., was the guest speaker and reviewed the mission book "Opportunity is Near", which was enjoyed by everyone.

Lunch was served during the luncheon hour to approximately 45 guests from Hope, Washington, Columbus, and Fulton. Following the luncheon hour, the circles met for business meetings.

Coming and Going
Miss Beryl Henry returned Monday night from a week-end visit in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Reeves had as week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs.

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New Books Added to Library

In recent years the practice of giving books as memorials has been gaining wide acceptance. Many library-minded citizens spend the money they would have spent for floral tributes for a living book memorial which serves the living while honoring the dead.

Books have been selected with reference to their subjects; for example, as a memorial to a much loved Christian woman, the book "The World's Great Madonnas".

The library's bookplate is pasted in each book, stating the name of the person so remembered and the donor.

The following books are on the Memorial Shelf at the Hempstead County Library:

Audubon—Birds of America; Bidle—Flower Arrangement; Cox—Book of Pottery and Pottery, 2 vols.; Cross—Complete Stories of Great Operas; Fletcher—Arkansas; Fleming—Handbook of Early American Advertising Art; Kent—World Famous Paintings; Lewis—Decorating the Home; Maus—Christ and the Fine Arts; Maus—World's Great Madonnas.

Stock Show Sets Many New Records

Little Rock, Oct. 12 — (UP) — They were looking for a new record book today at the Arkansas Livestock showgrounds here. The old one just wouldn't hold all the new entries.

State Sen. Clyde Byrd, manager of the show, said his official tabulation revealed a total 1948 attendance record of 158,751, excluding passes given the press, certain show employees and to various charitable institutions. This surpassed by 25,351 the previous record of 133,400 set last year.

Largest attendance for any one day was set by a crowd of more than 31,000 last Wednesday.

The 1948 edition of the show also was the biggest financial success in its history. The Little Rock stockyards said today that a record gross payment of \$19,107 went to members of the 4-H club and of the Future Farmers of America who placed cattle and hogs on the auction block.

Ninety-seven head of cattle brought \$37,621. A total of \$11,485 was paid for 116 hogs.

The largest purchaser of stock at the auction was the Little Rock Packing Co., which paid more than \$16,000. The Little Rock Packing Co. of Little Rock bought approximately \$8,000 worth of stock in the runner-up position.

A new high was set in the auction bidding for one animal when Joe Wren of Prescott, Tex., paid \$1.51 a pound for his prize winning Herford steer, Victory Tene.

The livestock show promises to attract even more spectators next year. Byrd said a coliseum to seat 8,000 persons will be finished in time for the 1949 show. The structure will enable the show management to stage its rodeo under a roof that will have no supporting pillars to obstruct the view. Byrd pointed out that the master building plan for the grounds is only about one-third complete.

The Loves of Carmen

By SOPHIE KERR

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Serialized on screenplays from a novel by Prosper Merimee

THE STORY: Don Jose, young officer in a fashionable Spanish regiment, has just come to Seville from the countryside of Navarre. He becomes enamored of the bewitching gypsy, Carmen. When he tries to make love to her, Carmen's beads catch on his tunic and break. This bad omen frightens the gypsy and, remembering the fortune teller who predicted a love-death for her, she turns on Jose. "You're the one—I know it. Stay away from me!" she screams.

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Other slammed the door and locked it. Then she leaned against it panting, exhausted. When she saw Don Jose's helmet, she ran for the door, throwing the helmet and sword violently out of the window into the street below. Then she returned for the cape, but as she started towards the window with the sword, she hesitated in front of the mirror and draped it over one shoulder. She appraised the effect, found it becoming, and turned around and around, preening and admiring herself in it. Then she became aware that the serenade music had stopped and she walked to the window slowly to see below her Don Jose slowly picking up his helmet and sword. She hesitated, stopped in front of the window opening. An uncertain look came into her eyes but she called softly, "Joseito—wait!"

It was the first time she had ever called him by name. Their eyes met across the distance. The musicians watched silently. Then Don Jose turned back toward the doorway leading to Carmen's room. Carmen smiled, but it was not her usual enigmatic smile. Instead, it was an oddly frightened, timid little smile.

The gypsy musicians started their serenade again. There was an extra note possible and sadness in the music and their voices. Don Jose came back into the room. He slowly closed the door that Carmen had held open for him. He stood waiting, not quite certain of his ground.

Carmen spoke with a bewildered note in her voice. "I think I must be crazy—I don't know how to say it or how to tell you—"

"Love has been told a thousand ways, so let it be," he remained where he was. "Come here, Carmen."

She went slowly toward him.

The night was clear over the heads of the gypsy musicians, and through its distance they could hear military boots striking the stone pavement. They stopped playing suddenly. The colonel, in full regalia, marched toward the house. The gypsies watched him in ominous silence, as he stopped before the building, looked up at the window. Then, as one who knows the way, he went up the back stairs.

Carmen was on the couch, her head turned toward Don Jose, who sat on the floor. His hands were on her face, and as she talked he followed her words with his fingers.

First Aid for Dry Skin



Home facial which helps the mature woman combat skin dryness begins by pressing a wash cloth wrung out in hot water against face (top). Next, cold cream is spread over warm, damp skin (bottom) and face is lightly massaged.

Democrats in Arkansas Not Worried

Little Rock, Oct. 12 (UP)—The most interesting angle in the election campaign in Democratic Arkansas is the lack of interest being shown by the Democrats.

Confident that they will carry the state as they have in the past, supporters of President Truman appear willing to have the fight carried to them.

And, at present, everyone appears willing to fight.

The States' Rights Democrats, headed by Gov. Ben Laney as state chairman, are going all out to swing the state's nine electors into line behind presidential Candidate J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina.

Laney refuses to predict that the States' Righters will carry the state, but he does predict that Mr. Truman will not receive a majority of the vote in the Nov. 2 general election.

Meanwhile, the Dixiecrats are launching the most active campaign of any political party. The fight will get underway with a statewide meeting in Little Rock Sunday, featuring former Gov. Frank Dixon of Alabama as the principal speaker. Highlight of the campaign will be a two-day visit to the state of Thurmond on Oct. 25 and 26. He plans talks in Little Rock and Fayetteville as well as in several other towns.

The question of States' Rights, brought to a head by President Truman's civil rights message to Congress early this year, is a hot issue in Arkansas. But Trumanites are confident that the habit of voting Democratic will more than offset the general annoyance caused by the Dixiecrats' attitude on segregation and other civil rights issues.

On the state and local level there is little to interest the voters although the national contests, plus seven constitutional amendments and initiated acts, are expected to bring out a record vote. The ballot will contain presidential electors pledged to five different parties: Democratic, Republican, States Rights, Democratic, Progressive and Socialist.

Four state races are contested. Democratic gubernatorial nominee Sid McMath will be opposed by Republican C. R. Black of Corning; Dalton Dotson of Huntsville opposes Congressman J. W. Trimble of Berryville; C. R. Starbird of Van Buren is running against Democratic nominee Boyd Trickett in the 4th District; and Republican Thad Tisdale of Little Rock is opposing Congressman Brooks Hays of Little Rock.

Shrine Benefit Game Planned at New Stadium

Little Rock, Oct. 12 — (UP) — A post season all-star football game between senior college and professional players of Arkansas and Louisiana may be held here Dec. 18 in the new War Memorial Stadium.

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Reserve Officers to Help With Berlin Lift

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DOROTHY DIX Stale Marriages

Of course, every woman's heart's desire is to be wooed by a handsome and gallant youth in beautiful, cinema language, and to be married in white satin and orange blossoms and to live ever afterwards in a state of transcendental happiness with a husband who is a great lover, and who spends his time telling her that she grows more fascinating and wonderful every day.

There is never to be a letdown in her romance. No howling babies. No walking the colic of nights. No worrying over bills. No cooking of meals and washing of dishes. No putting up with a man with irritating little ways that get on her nerves and bore her to tears.

But, alas, this vision of conjugal bliss is seldom realized. There is no such animal as the perfect husband that every girl dreams up. And in her disappointment at finding out that her fairy prince is just a plain, ordinary, unromantic he-man, who did all of his lovelorn before marriage and then knocked off and called it a day, only to often she throws her fat into the fire.

Begins to Nag
She becomes a sodden mass of self-pity. She alienates her husband by her fault-finding and nagging. She makes no effort to be a cheerful and entertaining companion, or even to make a comfortable home for her family, and only too often she divorces a good husband for no other reason than that he failed to come up to her expectations.

If only silly young brides broke up their homes and ditched their husbands because they had lost their taste for them, it would be easy to understand. They think they can get new mates who will be more exciting and interesting. But middle-aged women, who must know that their matrimonial chances are practically nil, also are guilty of this same folly.

Instead of making the best of their bargains, they throw up their hands and quit. And the amazing thing about this is that they fail to realize that there is a lot to marriage besides love, money, romance, and that a man who says it with checks and a credit account at the best stores is a more comfortable husband to live with than one who quotes

An announcement said "several hundred" reserve officers who volunteer will be recalled to duty and assigned to the lift. These will include pilots, co-pilots and flight engineers.

They will be given special training at Great Falls, Mont. Those who volunteer can revert to inactive duty next spring.

County Health Unit

An immunization clinic will be held at Fulton white school on October 14, 1948, at 1:30 p.m. Smallpox, vaccinations, diphtheria and typhoid shots will be given.

Mothers Friend

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"Now, what do you think of that? Now he's only half of a little corporal," sneered the colonel.

Another lightning motion, and Don Jose's other sleeve lost its insignia. "Just one," he said, "and you're all right!"

The colonel's sword rattled against Don Jose's five arrows to the leg's end. "Just a little broken concern with a liver as white as his face," he said.

(To Be Continued)

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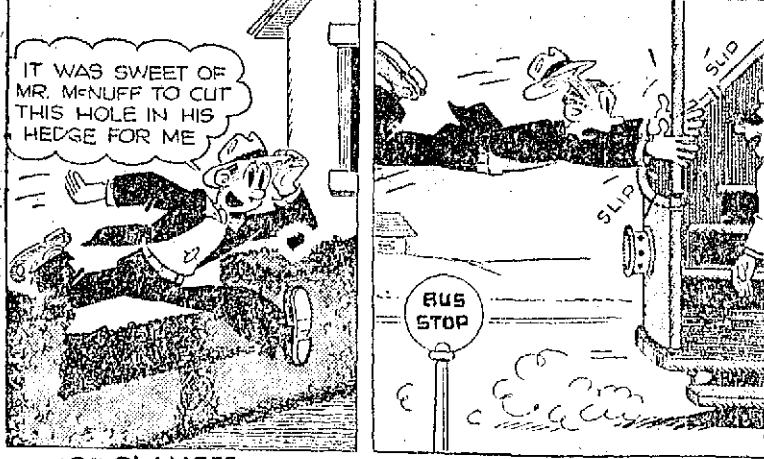
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By Galbraith



"Oh, yes, he talks! But all we've ever made out is 'Gloppsburg'—he probably has heard us mention the town where we spent our vacation!"

CARNIVAL

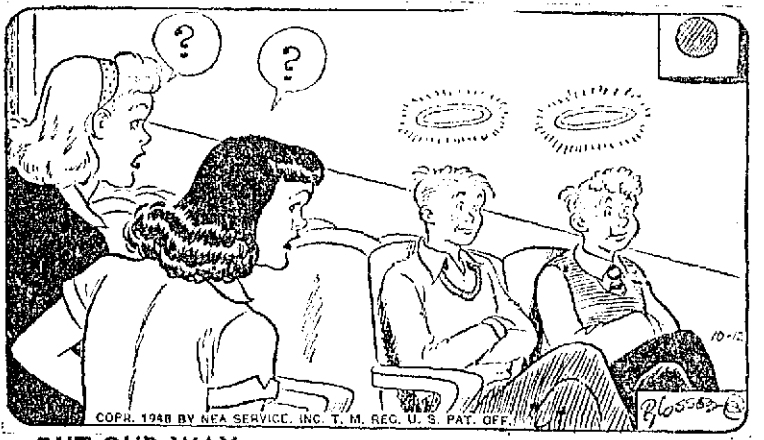
By Dick Turner



"Why don't you clean out the pockets yourself? So many wives stop looking as soon as they find a wallet or a piece of change!"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser

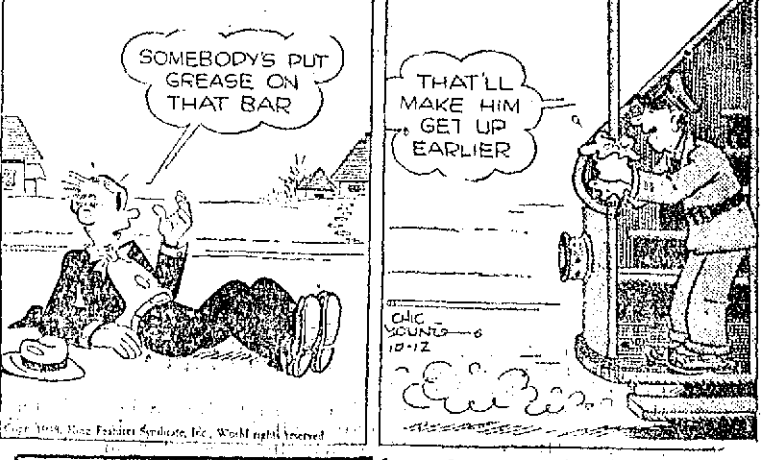


OUT OUR WAY

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By Chick Young



Comic Colonel

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- 13 Darling
- 14 Chair
- 16 Implement
- 18 Limb
- 19 Separated
- 21 Compass point
- 22 Symbol for tantalum
- 23 Babylonian deity
- 25 Watchful
- 28 Hazard
- 32 Seraglio
- 33 Mountain spur
- 34 Stiffness
- 35 Ascended
- 36 Half-em
- 37 Symbol for tellurium
- 38 Footlike part
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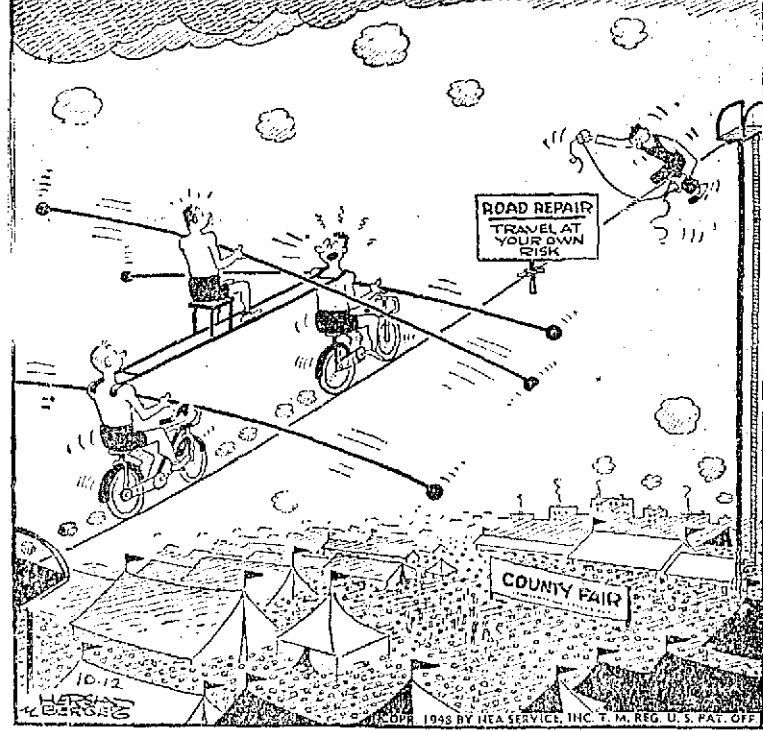
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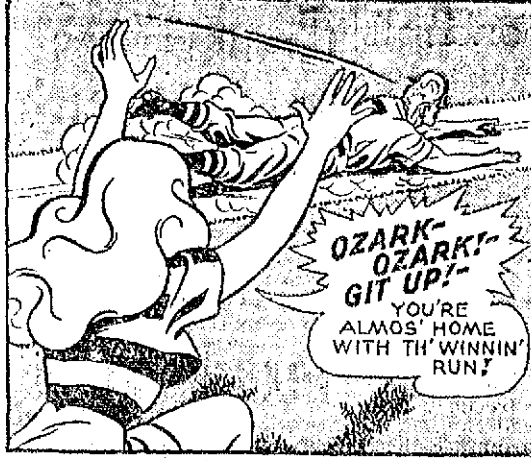
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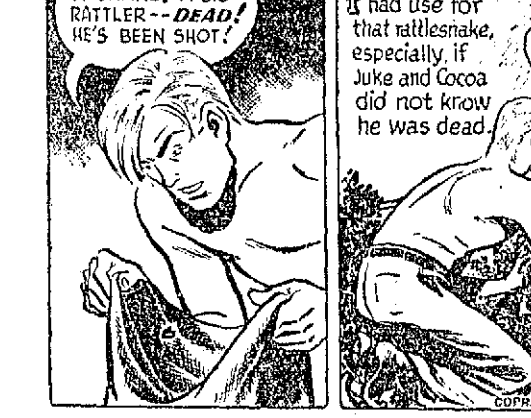


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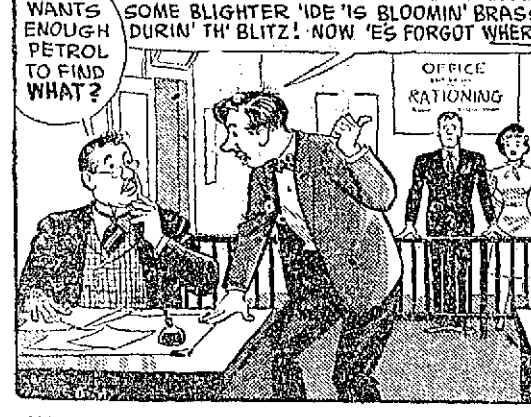
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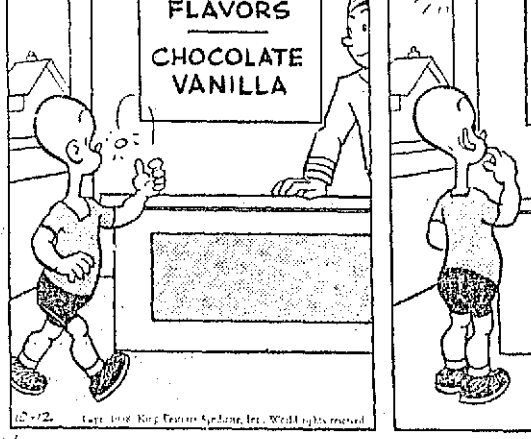
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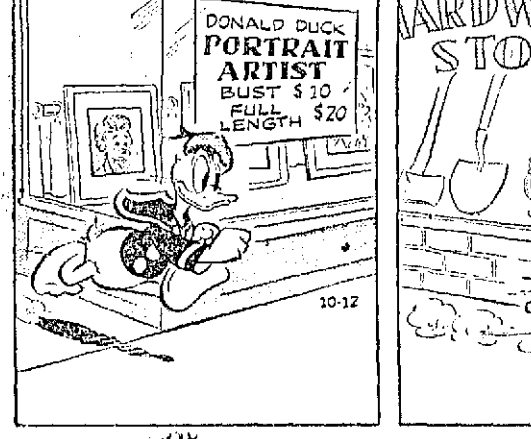
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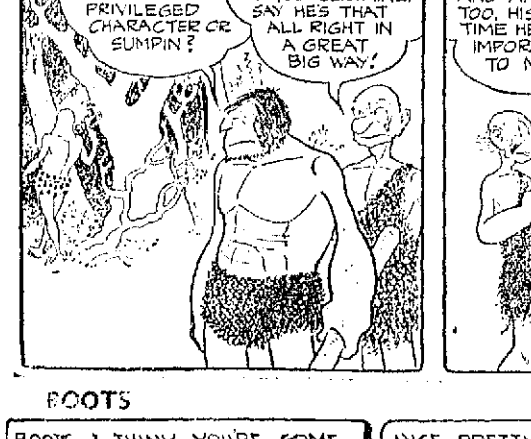
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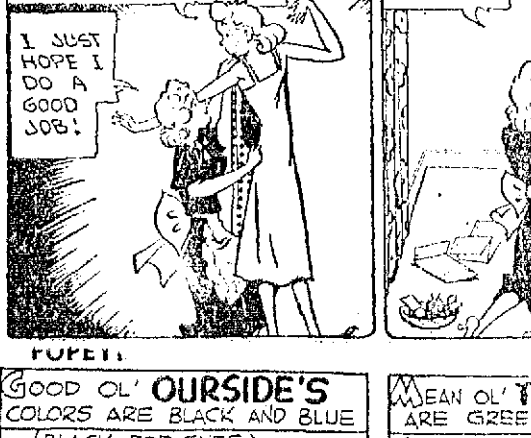
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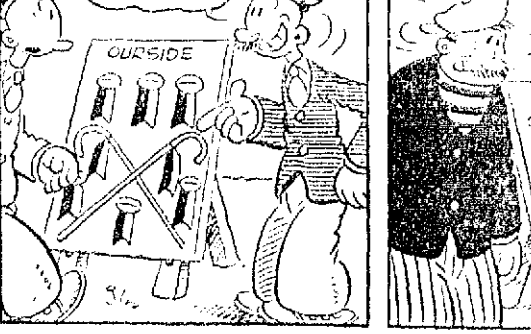
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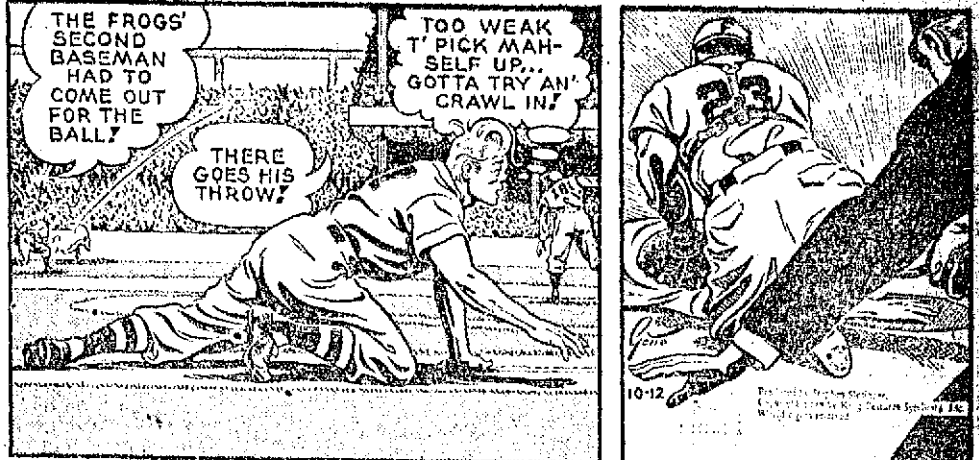
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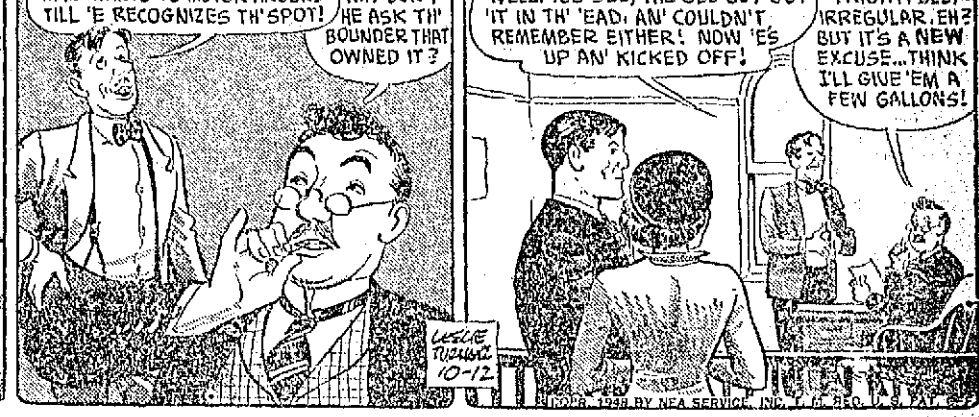
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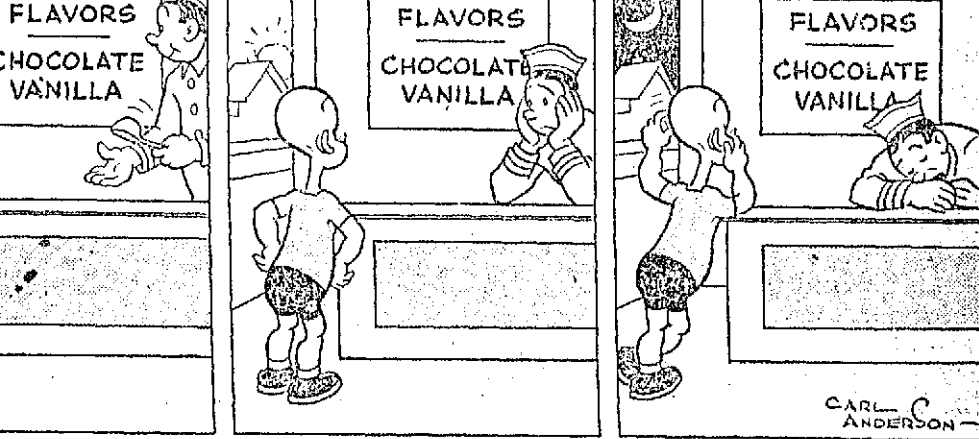
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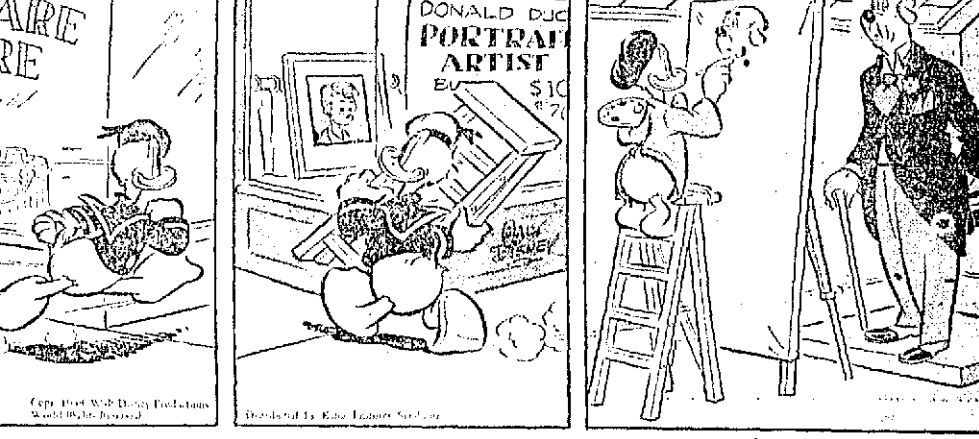
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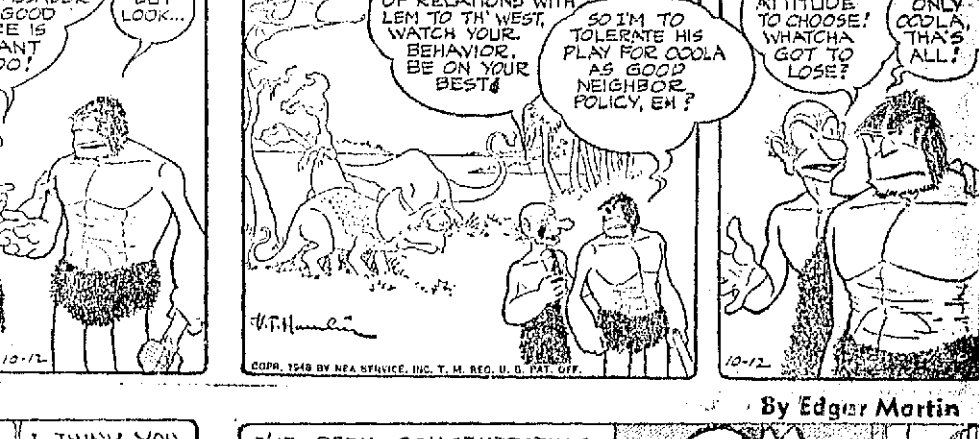
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By V. I. Hamlin



By Edgar Martin



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Dewey Raps Handling of Foreign Policy

En route with Dewey to Louisville, Ky., Oct. 12 — (UP) — Gov. Thomas E. Dewey charged today that the bipartisan foreign policy has operated only when the Truman administration "has permitted it."

In his frankest public criticism of the president's handling of foreign affairs, the Republican presidential nominee said that if he is elected in November he will carry out a "vigorous, competent and effective" drive for "a bipartisan peace policy."

In an address prepared for delivery in Louisville, Ky., at 10:45 a. m. (Central Standard Time) Dewey assailed what he called the "pusillanimity, the weakness and the wobbling" of the present administration in handling foreign affairs.

The New York governor dispelled any doubt that may have existed that he personally condemned—although he declined to say so publicly — President Truman's abandoned plan to send Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson to Moscow to negotiate with Premier Stalin.

He said the administration's lack of success in winning the peace, in part, had been due to its "failure to consult the republicans before making sudden and vital policy commitments."

"These have almost invariably got the country deeper into trouble," he added.

Although he conceded that many of the obstacles have run into were beyond the control of any American, Dewey said that since the United Nations conference in San Francisco two-party cooperation "has operated whenever the administration has permitted it."

Dewey said that unless the Republicans had been giving "full cooperation to the Democratic administration, we should have no strength in the present grave meetings of the United Nations."

The question of lifting the Berlin blockade now is before the U. N. He asserted that "Republican statesmanship" had "charged" the administration's original project of a European Recovery Program into a practical measure providing that continued aid depends on self-help by the nation it serves," Dewey added.

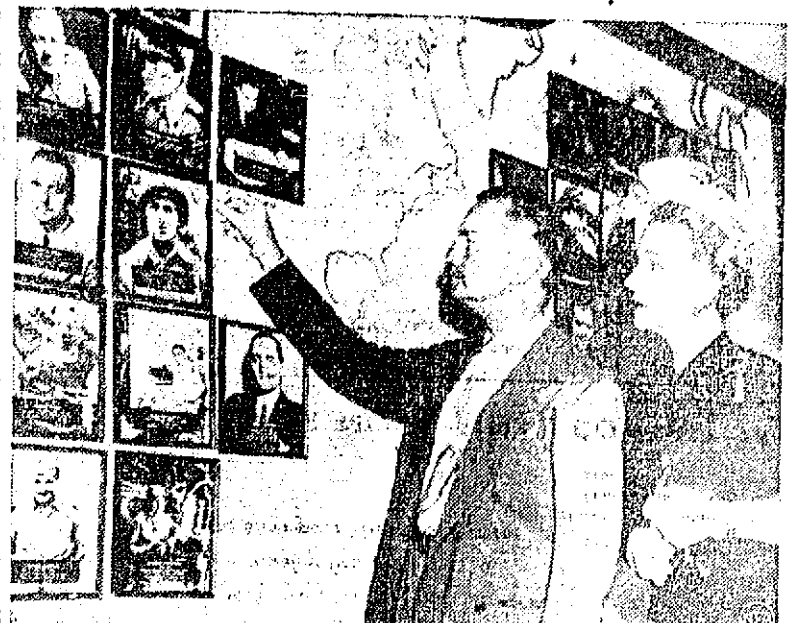
"Republican prodding has at last brought more aid to China," Dewey praised the efforts of Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich.) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, John Foster Dulles, his foreign affairs adviser, and Harold E. Stassen, former Minnesota governor, at the San Francisco U. N. conference and in other international meetings.

Dewey said that the president as he has not done before in the present campaign.

From Dewey for the first time came such words as "miserable," "helpless," "unwilling," "confused," "misnamed," "democratic," "vacillating" and "pusillanimous" in describing the president's conduct of affairs at home and abroad.

To a whistling, howling crowd

Forrestal Honors Hero Correspondents



Secretary of Defense James Forrestal and Mrs. Raymond Clapper attend the dedication of a Pentagon Building memorial honoring war correspondents who were killed reporting World War II. Mrs. Clapper is the widow of the Scripps-Howard News Alliance correspondent who was killed in a wartime plane crash. Photo in upper left corner is that of Frank Priest, NEA-Acme correspondent killed in the Pacific.

Latest Threat to Marshall Plan Is Communist-Led Strikes Throughout France

By DEWITT MacKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst: The Ulysses Marshall plan no longer goes free of one danger than it is beset by another, a fresh threat being the Communist-led French strikes which Premier

Henri Queuille warns are assuming the character of a rebellion.

These are grave words to come from the leader of a major government.

Acting under cover of the smoke-screen provided by the Red blockade of Western Berlin, the Bolsheviks have organized and got under way this new offensive which is further disrupting the already chaotic French economy. Minister of

that overflowed the 11,000-seat Hunt Armory at Pittsburgh, last night, Dewey defended the Taft-Hartley Act.

He acknowledged, however, that the Taft-Hartley Act "is not perfect" and said "whenever it needs change it will be changed."

Crossing Kentucky today on his way to Louisville, and a major speech there shortly after noon, the GOP nominee bore down on his support of the candidacy of Senator John Cooper, Republican, who is seeking re-election.

Cooper, has on his hands a tough battle with Rep. Virgil Chapman, Democrat. Dewey was expected to urge his election in appearances at Lexington, Frankfort and Louisville.

Dewey will enter Illinois tonight for talks at McLeansboro, Beaucoup, and East St. Louis. Tomorrow he tours Oklahoma.

To a whistling, howling crowd

the Interior Jules Moch charges that the strikes are engineered by the Cominform.

The Cominform is the successor to the Comintern, the general staff for world revolution which Moscow "abolished" in 1943 because of

of fierce objection to it by the democracies. The Cominform apparently began organizing the present upheaval last July, and French fifth columnists have laid the ground-work for the sabotage methodically.

French industry is being dealt a body blow by the coal strike that already has cost the recovery program 1,000,000 tons of fuel which is worth its weight in pearls. A railway strike is beginning to get a grip on the throat of national transportation.

Thus two vital elements of the French life-stream — fuel and transportation — are endangered. Without them the country would be helpless.

Obviously this new assault is aimed at the European Recovery Program. However, that is far from being the whole story, for dependent on that program is the military defense of Western Europe against further Communist aggression.

France is the key continental nation in the new Western European alliance comprising Britain, France, the Netherlands, Belgium and Luxembourg. With France hamstringed, the alliance would be weakened to the point of near impotence. If the powerful Communist party of Italy should at the same time make good its boast of being able to take over control of

that strategic country, the Russians would be in a powerful position, both politically and militarily.

The French picture fits in perfectly with the battle of Berlin. The "neutral" countries in the United Nations Security Council have been running themselves ragged in an effort to mediate between the Muscovites and the Western democracies. Thus far the sphinx of Moscow has kept the mediators fishing in vain.

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This being the case, it's a fair guess that Moscow has been deliberately stalling to see how the French strikes progress. Should things worsen in France, we may be sure the Russians will capitalize the situation and become more exacting in their demands. So for the time being, France is a barometer by which to tell how the storm goes.

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Committees to Meet With Council

Little Rock, Oct. 12 — (UP) — Eight committees named to study the legislative program of Governor-elect, Sid McMath will meet with the Arkansas Legislative council here Friday.

The meeting was called by State Rep. J. R. Campbell of Hot Springs, director of the council, who said the various committees would be organized at that time.

Meanwhile, State Sen. Lee Bearden of Leachville, chairman of the important roads and highways committee, said his group would concern itself chiefly with the bond issue program advocated by McMath during his successful campaign for governor.

Bearden, who was the motivating force behind Gov. Ben Laney's successful legislation two years ago over McMath's program will be the basis of their discussion. He pointed out that new taxes or other possible revenue programs would not be considered unless it was decided that the 1949 general assembly would not accept the bond proposal.

McMath suggested that the people vote a \$7,500,000 bond issue in 1949 and additional \$6,750,000 bond issues in 1950, 1951 and 1952 to finance a proposed \$30,000,000 road program over the four-year period.

Other committees appointed by the legislative council are on gasoline refund to farmers, election laws revision, revenue and sales tax, review of state tax structure, auto title registration, welfare and education.

A grown plains buffalo weighs about 2,000 pounds and stands five and a half or six feet at the hump. Both sexes have permanent horns.

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Prescott News

Wednesday, October 14
The Prescott Musical Center will meet Wednesday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Wilbur Hall with Mrs. Dudley Gordon, co-hostess.

There will be an officers and teachers meeting at First Baptist Church at 8:45 with prayer service at 7:30 and choir practice at 8:15.

There will be choir practice at the First Presbyterian church at 7:15 p.m.

Choir practice at Central Baptist Church at 7 p.m. and prayer services at 8 p.m.

There will be a mid-week meeting at First Christian church at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Wagner will discuss the 1948 Chapter of the Book of John.

Choir practice will be held at the Methodist church at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 14
Mrs. E. R. Ward will be hostess to the 47 Bridge Club at 2:30 p.m. at her home.

Mrs. Clara B. Stone held open house on Sunday afternoon at her home for the pleasure of her brother H. S. Brooks of Chicago and her sister, Mrs. Howard Terry and Mr. Terry of Conway.

Members of the fireplaces gave a soft glow to the reception room which was lovely with arrangements of vari-colored dahlias.

The guests were greeted at the door by Miss Carrie Thorburn.

Mrs. Calvin Marshall of Little Rock invited the guests into the dining room where the seating table was covered with a lace cloth and graced with a centerpiece of vari-colored dahlias in a state swan. The appointments were of crystal.

Mrs. Allen Gee, Jr. presided at the punch bowl. Those assisting in extending further courtesies were Mrs. Allen Gee Sr. and Miss Lucella Stone.

Sixty guests called during the appointed hours.

Members of Selective Service Board No. 50, Jewel White, Bryon Moody and Dale Ledbetter, wish to thank all individuals who served as registrars during the registration period from August 30 to September 18, 1948.

This was a splendid service rendered Nevada county, the State and nation and board members publicly acknowledge their gratitude for the services rendered in behalf of the peace program.

The Parent Teacher's Association met Friday, Oct. 8 with Mrs. Gene Hale, president, presiding. After repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, group singing, led by Mrs. Edward Bryson, was enjoyed by all.

"Unusual Occupants" a subject that receiving widespread attention throughout the state, was the topic discussed by Miss Edith Mapsey in which she explained that the exceptional person in the "House of Life" is the one with defective speech.

Mrs. Hubbard presented Mrs. Hines, Mrs. Hays, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Hart and their pupils in a demonstration of visual aid showing the benefits derived from its use in the classroom.

The PTA membership drive closed Friday with Mrs. Stainton's 3rd grade, Mrs. Greeson's 4th grade, and Mrs. Overstreet's 7th grade and Mrs. Thomas' junior class being the winners.

Mrs. Cummings' second grade, Mrs. Greeson's fourth grade, Mrs. Johnson's fifth, Mrs. Robey's seventh, and Mrs. Thomas' junior class were awarded room prizes.

Mrs. S. O. Logan is attending the WCTU State Convention in North Little Rock today.

Mrs. Luck Siffer is visiting relatives in Terre Haute, Ind.

Mrs. Calvin Marshall of Little Rock was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Clara B. Stone, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Mann, of El Dorado was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward last week.

Mrs. Bob Reynolds of Conway spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reynolds and son Bobbie.

Dorris Dickinson, associate editor of the Arkansas Gazette, Little Rock, spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dickinson.

Miss Doty Yancey student at Arkansas State Teachers College, Conway spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yancey.

Mrs. John A. Davis has returned from Waldo where she has been the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Imoa Gee have returned from Monroe, La. where they have been visiting Mrs. Gee's sister, Mrs. R. L. Chadwick and Mr. Crick.

Sgt. Franks and Roy Duke will return today from Memphis, Tenn. where they attended a Pontiac meeting.

Mrs. Elise Reid of Arkadelphia was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hubbard, Saturday. Mrs. Reid is a teacher at Henderson College.

Miss Mary Sue Haynie has returned to her home in Benton after spending several days with her father, Earl Haynie.

Miss Lois Stewart of Little Rock was the weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. Bob Stewart.

Bob Denman, student at Henderson College, Arkadelphia spent the weekend with his father, Dale Denman.

Parole of Convict Is Revoked

Little Rock, Oct. 12 — (UP) — State Parole Director W. P. Ball today issued a pickup order after revoking a parole granted W. L. (Joe) Langley of Union county April 1.

The 23-year-old man was sentenced to a two-year prison term for a 1945 burglary conviction on July 31, 1947. Ball said the parole was revoked when Langley failed to report to parole officers and left the state.

Accused of Not Supporting Her Mother

By VIRGINIA MACPHERSON
Hollywood, Oct. 12 — (UP) — Veronica Lake, who expects her third baby any minute, collapsed in tears today after her mother charged that she had to live off charity because the \$4,500-a-week actress wouldn't support her.

"Veronica's crying" pained already," said Andre De Toth, Miss Lake's director-husband. "She's in there sobbing and crying and all on account of this terrible thing."

The "thing" was the suit filed yesterday by Mrs. Constance Veronica Keane, 47-year-old mother of the tiny movie queen, Mrs. Keane charged the actress owes her \$500 a month and \$17,416 in a lump sum according to an agreement they signed in 1943.

Mrs. Keane said she was "destitute, indigent, dependent upon the charity of others," and faces three major operations because of her

daughter's treatment. "This is the first I've heard about it," Miss Lake said. "The suit also named De Toth for 'aiding Miss Lake in evading her responsibility.'"

"I don't even know the woman," he said. "Veronica and I have been married since 1944 and I've never met Mrs. Keane. She never comes up. We don't know anything about this 'charity' business."

De Toth said relations between his wife and Mrs. Keane had been "friendly" for years, but he wished his mother-in-law had picked some other time to air her troubles.

"This is a fine thing to confront a woman who's about to have a baby," he said. "Also a fine way for a grandmother to act."

According to the suit, the pint-sized star agreed to pay her mother and stepfather, Hugh Anthony Keane, \$200 a week for life. Mrs. Keane said Miss Lake never would have become an actress if it hadn't been for her. And now it's her daughter's turn to help out, she said.

"I spent my life savings of \$10,000 to send Veronica to drama school," Mrs. Keane added. "Now she earns \$4,500 a week. And she hasn't sent me anything since last May."

"She even broke her promise to pay for my husband's funeral," Miss Lake said that wasn't so. "I paid all the expenses," she said from her San Fernando Valley ranch. "But it's true I haven't been living up to the contract. There were times when I didn't have the money. I paid mother \$115 a week until my stepfather died. Then I paid her \$50 a week."

The blue-eyed star said she chopped off the allowance because "I'm only supporting my grandmother, my mother-in-law, two children, a nurse, and the servants. And now another baby's due momentarily."

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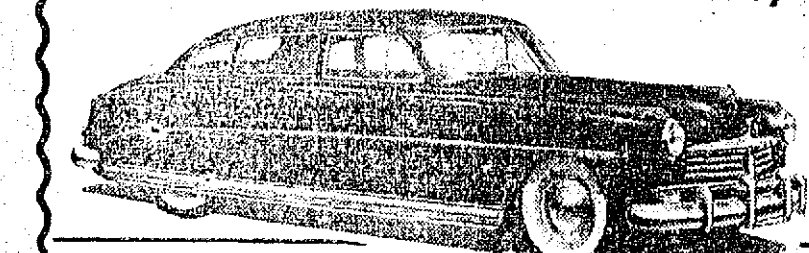
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